## After Urological Surgery: cystoscopy, ureteral stent insertion/removal, bladder/prostate biopsy

- 1. For the next 24 hours, increase the amount of fluid you drink. Drink at least 8 to 12, 8-ounce glasses of fluids.
- 2. Expect to urinate more often, feel burning when your urinate, and pink-tinged urine for the next 2 to 3 days.
- 3. If you have pain, use Tylenol, Motrin, or Advil if no other pain medication has been prescribed for you.
- 4. Contact your medical staff fellow below via the NIH page operator at 301-496-1211 if you have any of the following:
  - fever
  - chills
  - foul-smelling urine
  - bright red blood or blood clots in urine and/or stool
  - severe abdominal pain
  - inability to urinate, with or without your bladder feeling full. Your lower abdomen will feel firm over the bladder area, and you might or might not feel pain.
- 5. If you are unable to urinate and/or have a lot of bleeding, and you are unable to contact a doctor at NIH, go to the nearest hospital emergency room.
- 6. If you have problems or questions, contact your surgeon and surgical staff fellow via the NIH page operator at **301-496-1211**.

Other Instructions:

Contacts (Reach the staff members below through the NIH page operator at 301-496-1211.)
Your Doctor:



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